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Colonel William R. Smith Commander 4017th Combat Crew Training Squadron Castle Air Force Base, California

Dear Smitty:

I have just received your letter of 27 January. with the manual "B-52 Air Refueling for SAC Aircrews" enclosed, and wish to congratulate you and the 4017th for this comprehensive and interesting study. I'm sure it will prove to be highly effective in the training of aircrews.

Thanks again for including me in the distribution of this manual, as well as the previous "B-52 Training Manual". Both are excellent publications.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

C. P. Cabell Lieutenant General. USAF Deputy Director

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